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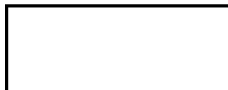


Thank you for your note concerning my nomination as DDCI.

As I move into the future, it is with a feeling of gratitude for having the friendship and support of colleagues like you. You have been a tower of strength to CIA over the past several years and we are, all of us, the better for the efforts of professionals like you.

All the best.

Faithfully yours,



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